

month: "We must tell our children" so they know "about how this evil was allowed to happen." Educational programs are already being planned for 2014, the centennial year of Dr. Karski's birth, to continue his efforts instill in future generations the lessons of the Holocaust and the critical importance speaking out against hatred. The Presidential Medal of Freedom is a well deserved recognition of Dr. Karski's life's work.

IN HONOR OF WILLIAM FRANK  
McFARLANE

**HON. DEVIN NUNES**

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, May 30, 2012*

Mr. NUNES. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor William Frank McFarlane, who passed away on Tuesday, May 15, 2012. Mr. McFarlane was a pillar of the California agricultural community.

Bill McFarlane was born in Fresno, California, on January 1, 1926, and grew up on a farm in Clovis. He attended Jefferson Elementary School and Clovis Union High School. While at California State University, Fresno, Bill transferred to the University of Southern California, earning Bachelor of Science degrees in Naval Science and Business Administration.

At a young age, Bill began his successful career in agriculture. He and his parents formed a partnership in 1948, McFarlane and McFarlane, growing Muscat grapes for raisins and wine, cotton, grain, plums, vegetable and flower seeds, almonds, citrus, and rice. While many other achievements would follow in his long career, Bill always remained a farmer at heart.

A tireless supporter of other farmers in the San Joaquin Valley, Bill was a member of the Sun-Maid Raisin Growers Advisory Council; president of Clovis-Sanger Cooperative Gin; joined the board of Calcot, Ltd. in 1955 and was chairman of that organization from 1966 to 1974; served as president of California Cotton Growers Association; a member of the Producers Steering Committee of the National Cotton Council; a director of the Western Cotton Growers Association; the founding president of Central California Almond Growers Association and served on the board of Blue Diamond Growers for 17 years, 4 years as chairman.

Bill was a principal of the family-farming group Cinco Farms; served as president of California Westside Farmers for 8 years; a chairman of Farm-Water Alliance for 6 years, whose effort culminated in the signing into law of the federal Reclamation Reform Act of 1982. Bill was also a member of the board of Westlands Water District, and served on the board of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation of the U.S. Department of Agriculture during the 8 years of the Reagan Administration. In 1967, he became a director of the National Council of Farmer Cooperatives, as well as the Agricultural Council of California, becoming chairman of the council and was awarded their Co-Op Farmer of the Year Award in 1994.

Bill received the 1994 Agriculturalist of the Year Award at the California State Fair, and in 2000 the Greater Fresno Area Chamber of

Commerce Agriculturist of the Year Award. After serving for 14 years on the board of the California State University, Fresno, Agricultural Foundation, Bill's final expression of his love for agriculture was his commitment to Friends of Agricultural Extension, reflecting his belief in the public value of university agricultural research.

While his commitment to the San Joaquin Valley agricultural community was unmatched, Bill's commitment to education was equally impressive. He was a member of the Jefferson Union Elementary governing board; a charter member of the Clovis Unified School District board; a founding member of the board of directors of the Foundation for Clovis Schools; and a member of the Reagan Educational Center Agriculture Department Advisory Committee. Bill was particularly proud when Clovis Unified School District honored him by naming the McFarlane-Coffman Agricultural Center after him.

Bill McFarlane's legacy to his friends, family, colleagues, and countless numbers of students will be remembered for generations to come. The San Joaquin Valley has been blessed with many people whose commitment to the valley has made it the greatest agricultural region in the world. Among these people, Bill was one of the greats.

TRIBUTE TO LIEUTENANT  
COLONEL MARYJO TIMPANO

**HON. ANN MARIE BUERKLE**

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, May 30, 2012*

Ms. BUERKLE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor and pay tribute to LTC MaryJo Timpano, Director of Staff, 174th Fighter Wing upon the occasion of her retirement from the United States Air Force Air National Guard.

Lieutenant Colonel Timpano assumed the duties of the Director of Staff and Wing Executive Officer for the 174th Fighter Wing at Hancock Field on June 4, 2008. It was under this assignment that Lieutenant Colonel Timpano has directed all wing and public affairs activities.

Additionally, Lieutenant Colonel Timpano has served as the Hancock Field Sexual Assault Response Coordinator and the Community Manager for the 174th Fighter Wing.

Prior to her assignments with the 174th Fighter Wing, Lieutenant Colonel Timpano served the Office of the Chairman Joint Chiefs of Staff as an Executive Officer to the Assistant to the CJCS for National Guard and Reserve Matters.

Lieutenant Colonel Timpano earned her Bachelor of Science degree in Developmental Psychology through the State University of New York at Brockport and is currently pursuing a Master's degree in Psychology. She has an extensive military education and has been the recipient of several medals.

It is important that we as a nation recognize our service men and women for their dedication to the United States of America, particularly those as accomplished as LTC MaryJo Timpano.

Mr. Speaker, it is with privilege that I pause to commemorate LTC MaryJo Timpano on her dedicated service to the Nation and congratulate her on her retirement from the United States Air Force Air National Guard.

HONORING LORETTA J. MALOY

**HON. HENRY C. "HANK" JOHNSON, JR.**

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, May 30, 2012*

Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, I submit the following Proclamation.

Whereas, Thirty-three years ago a virtuous woman of God accepted her calling to serve in the Educational System; and

Whereas, Mrs. Loretta J. Maloy began her educational career in teaching in Georgia and this year she retires from teaching at Edward L. Bouie, Sr., Elementary Theme School in Lithonia, Georgia; she has served the DeKalb County Public Schools System well and our community has been blessed through her service; and

Whereas, this phenomenal woman has shared her time and talents as a Teacher, Educator, and Motivator, giving the citizens of Georgia a person of great worth, a fearless leader, a devoted scholar, and a servant to all who want to advance the lives of our youth; and

Whereas, Mrs. Maloy is formally retiring from her educational career today, she will continue to promote education because she is a cornerstone in our community that has enhanced the lives of thousands for the betterment of our District and Nation; and

Whereas, the U.S. Representative of the Fourth District of Georgia has set aside this day to honor and recognize Mrs. Loretta J. Maloy on her retirement from the DeKalb County Public Schools System and to wish her well in her new endeavors;

Now therefore, I, HENRY C. "HANK" JOHNSON, Jr., do hereby proclaim May 18, 2012 as Mrs. Loretta J. Maloy Day in the 4th Congressional District of Georgia.

Proclaimed, this 18th day of May, 2012.

HONORING SUSAN MOORE

**HON. LYNN C. WOOLSEY**

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Wednesday, May 30, 2012*

Ms. WOOLSEY. Mr. Speaker, I rise with pleasure today to honor my friend Susan Moore, of Santa Rosa, CA, who recently received a Lifetime Achievement Volunteer Award from Roseland School District in her hometown. This well-deserved accomplishment reflects Susan's passionate efforts as a driving force behind the creation of Roseland University Prep.

Eight years ago, Susan worked with Roseland Superintendent of Schools Gail Ahlas to establish a high school in a largely Latino area where few students went on to attend college. The school's purpose is to give each student both the opportunity to take the necessary classes and the support needed to succeed. Recently U.S. News & World Report ranked Roseland University Prep as one of the top-performing high schools in the nation.

Susan Moore's commitment to children in underserved communities is long-standing. She is a person who sees a need and uses her skills and determination to fill it. In 1999, she developed the Girl by Girl Mentoring